

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: Robert A. Marshall, et al.
Serial No.: 10/025,599
Filing Date: December 18, 2001
Group Art Unit: 2619
Confirmation No. 7923
Examiner: Michael J. Moore, Jr.
Title: *Method and System for Self-Testing a Line Card*

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Dear Sir:

NOTICE OF APPEAL

In response to the Final Office Action dated January 10, 2008 and Advisory Action dated March 31, 2008, Applicants respectfully request the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences to reconsider the rejections to the claims of the Application.

Remarks

Applicants hereby appeal to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decisions of the Examiner dated January 10, 2008 and Advisory Action dated March 31, 2008 rejecting the pending claims.

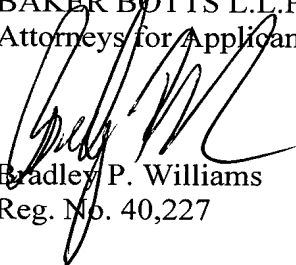
Attached herewith is a Request for Pre-Appeal Brief Review for consideration with this Notice of Appeal.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 02-0384 of Baker Botts L.L.P. the amount of \$510.00 to satisfy the Notice of Appeal fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(b).

If the Examiner feels that prosecution of the present Application may be advanced in any way by a telephone conference, the Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney.

Respectfully submitted,

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